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In response to the Notice of Allowance and Fees Due dated February 25, 2005,  
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Also enclosed are five (5) pages of corrected drawings

Respectfully submitted,

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TITLE OF INVENTION: APPARATUS FOR COOLING LIQUID IN A PORTABLE CONTAINER

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